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Mirrorettes

Sale bills at this office.
Old papers for sale at this office.
Cash Store for Bargains—Adv.
Isaac Strong has been quite sick.
G. S. Burney and wife were in Springfield last week.
Mrs. W. A. Black transacted business at Koshkonong last week.
Mansfield Mirror and Weekly Kansas City Star both one year for \$1.20.
Internal Revenue Collector H. W. Fisher of Springfield was here last week.
J. L. Reynolds has just received a nobby line of Men's Overcoats and Caps.—Adv.
Dr. F. H. Riley, the dentist, will be in his Hartville office Nov. 1-6.—Adv.
Postmaster P. L. Connolly of Norwood has purchased a Ford car of W. G. Reynolds.
Go to J. D. Reynolds and buy a John Deere Wagon and Buggy—they will please you.—Adv.
J. A. Edwards was called to Joplin this week as a witness in a case on trial there this week.
We can save you money on new subscriptions or renewals for any magazine or newspaper.
Mrs. D. D. Paxton of Mullinville, Kans., has been visiting her parents, J. M. Newton and wife, your new Heating Stove at B. Fullington's—he sells the Woods Evertz prices right.—Adv.
The county convention of Christian churches is now in session here. A report will appear next week.
Still plenty of Bargains in all departments at the Cash Mercantile Co., the most of the best for the least.—Adv.
Prof. G. H. Boehm of Ava was here this week enroute to Kansas City to attend the State Teachers' Association.
FOR SALE—One Cyphers Incubator, 244 egg capacity. One Cyphers Brooder.
Adv. MRS. J. B. FREEMAN.
All persons are forbidden to hunt, shoot, or trap upon the farm of
Adv. J. M. THIRKIELD.
Andy Miller has been appointed postmaster at Basher in place of Henry Huffman, who has disappeared leaving an apparent shortage of about \$750.
All desiring to join a class in painting will please meet me at the Mansfield Hotel Saturday, Nov. 6, at 3 p. m.
Adv. MRS. WM. BRAND.
The Mt. Everett Y. P. S. C. E. of Bryant has changed the time of meeting back to 7:30 o'clock. There will be meeting every Sunday night. Everyone welcome.
Look at the new dishes at the 5c and 10c store and more coming. Also lots of 5c and 10c bargains. Order that fall suit now while you can get it cheap from A. B. Rose Co.—Adv.
Deputy U. S. Marshal W. T. Brown of Springfield was here Friday but was called home by the news that a daughter had died suddenly. He made the trip to Springfield in the Jake Hoover auto driven by Elmer Strong.
Charles Bottorff of St. Joseph and Rev. Newton Bundy of Mountain Grove were here this week and held an inspiring Sunday School meeting Monday evening at the M. E. church. They are touring the county under the auspices of the Wright County Sunday School Association.
SALESMEN—Big money, big line, all necessities—Groceries, Paints, Oils, Stock Food. Sell at wholesale. Goods and house nationally known. Immense crops insure vast trade. Quit road—stay in home territory—build homes and bank accounts as hundreds do. Regular trade, quickly, easily covered. No capital—effective selling helps. \$150 to \$500 monthly easy. Write today. JOHN SEXTON & CO., WHOLESALE GROCERS, 236 W. Lake St., Chicago, Ill.—Adv.

Personal Paragraphs

J. B. Freeman was in Norwood Friday.
E. B. Garner of Hartville was here this week.
Dr. F. H. Riley is doing dental work at Hartville.
Attorney N. J. Craig was a Hartville visitor last week.
Postmaster M. E. Gorman and wife have returned from St. Louis.
Mrs. Nancy Dennis has returned from her visit at Windsor.
H. C. Tarbutton was in Macomb and Norwood during the week.
Mrs. W. H. Brake of Macomb visited J. D. Reynolds' during the week.
Mrs. M. E. West is visiting in Jonesboro, Ark., and Memphis, Tenn.
Mrs. Steve Yates and son, Ellison Gaines, were in Springfield Monday.
Col. L. O. Nieder transacted legal business in Willow Springs Monday.
C. V. Hilsabeck went to Mountain Grove Tuesday to see his mother, who has been sick.
The Embroidery Club had an enjoyable Hallowe'en social at the home of J. D. Reynolds Saturday night.
Dr. W. S. Manley, of Sedalia, was here this week. He had been doing veterinary work at Hartville.
Mrs. J. A. Fuson and R. M. Rogers are attending the meeting of the Southwest Missouri Medical Society at Springfield.
Prof. B. E. Bramhall, formerly principal of the Cedar Gap school but now principal at Verona, has received a 5-year state certificate.
Among the out of town people attending the Christian church convention this week are Rev. E. W. Yocum and wife and Rev. J. H. Cleaves of Mountain Grove, and Rev. J. H. Jones of Springfield.
W. R. Shirley and wife are planning to celebrate their golden wedding anniversary Feb. 11. They contemplate moving to Mountain Grove in the spring, and Mr. Shirley will have a sale Nov. 15.
M. C. Yocum and wife are here from Mountain Grove. Mr. Yocum relieving L. S. Brophy, also of Mountain Grove, as operator at the Frisco station. Mr. Brophy having gone to Bono, Ark., as agent for the Frisco at that place.
Deputy U. S. Marshal W. T. Brown of Springfield was here last week and subpoenaed N. J. Craig, O. L. Robinett and Steve Yates as witnesses in the trial of F. B. Warner et al at Kansas City Nov. 8 in connection with the Daniels Commission Co. failure at Willow Springs in 1912.
B. J. Rucker of Golden City was here Monday and purchased through the Avery & Stephens real estate agency the 80-acre farm of W. A. Lotzenhizer, 3 1/2 miles southeast of Mansfield. Mr. Rucker's son is occupying the farm, Mr. Lotzenhizer and family moving to Montana.
Dr. R. M. Rogers attended the meeting of the Wright County Medical Society at Mountain Grove Thursday, an interesting and profitable meeting being held. Dr. R. A. Ryan of Norwood was elected president; Dr. J. A. Fuson, Mansfield, vice president; Dr. E. J. Butke, Mountain Grove, secretary-treasurer; Dr. L. T. VanNoy, Norwood, delegate to the state meeting at Excelsior Springs in April.
N. J. Craig and wife, Horace Paul and wife and Miss Maude Reynolds attended the funeral at Hartville Tuesday of Guy Jackson, who died at Nevada. Rev. T. P. Shaffer of West Plains, a former pastor of the Hartville M. E. church, conducted the services. Deceased was the son of Attorney J. W. Jackson of Hartville and was a rising young lawyer, with hosts of friends who regret to learn of his death.

Tersely Told Town Tales

Jesse Ross and Barney Hight have returned from Albion, Mich.
S. H. Robertson will hold a big public sale at Macomb Nov. 13. See his ad. in the Mirror.
A large and interested audience listened to Dr. R. M. Rogers' address on "Crime, its Causes and Cure," at the Spence school Friday afternoon.
W. G. Reynolds and wife went to St. Louis Friday, returning with two Ford cars which were sold and delivered to Dr. L. T. VanNoy and Dr. R. A. Ryan of Norwood.
Crescent Camp, No. 1634, Royal Neighbors of America, will meet in regular session next Tuesday night, Nov. 9. Refreshments will be served. All members are urged to be present.
Wm. Brand says he is willing to give 60 feet for a good road by his farm, and Mrs. Brand says she will give 50 feet more, so there is no doubt a road built that way can be made plenty wide.
The fifth Sunday meeting of the Wright County Baptist Association at the Mt. Pleasant church Friday, Saturday and Sunday was presided over by Rev. A. Ross as moderator. Excellent and well-attended sessions are reported.
Rev. Joseph Davis preached at Cedar Gap Sunday, much interest being manifested in the services. He leaves Saturday for West Plains to hold a meeting at the Elk Creek church near there, after which he will hold a meeting at Pomona. He expects to be absent about a month.
John C. Evans of Olden, a brother of Director Paul Evans of the State Fruit Experiment Station at Mountain Grove, has been appointed a member of the international jury of awards at the Panama Pacific Exposition. Mr. Evans has visited Mansfield in company with his brother.
At the recent state Y. P. S. C. E. convention at Canton Fred Strudell of St. Louis was elected president to succeed Frank Lowe Jr. of Kansas City, who becomes national field secretary for the Disciples of Christ in America. Mr. Lowe was here recently in the interests of the Christian Endeavor work. Sam F. Burnett of Ava was elected statistical secretary.
From the appearance of things the next morning, Hallowe'eners were out in full force Saturday night. Misplaced articles were much in evidence, but the work was carried too far when the awning in front of W. B. Fullington's furniture store was cut to pieces. Malicious destruction of property is to be condemned at all times and the guilty parties should be made to pay dearly for their "fun."
Rev. W. H. Anderson, who has been serving as pastor of the Mansfield and Hartville Christian churches, has accepted the pastorate of the churches at Sheldon and Moundsville. He is now at Sheldon, where his family will join him and where they will reside. He has just closed a successful meeting at Moundsville. They will have a sale Nov. 17. They have many friends here who regret their departure but wish them prosperity in their new home.

Get Rid of Those Poisons in Your System!

You will find Dr. King's New Life Pills a most satisfactory laxative in releasing the poisons from your system. Accumulated waste and poisons cause manifold ailments unless released. Dizziness, spots before the eyes, blackness and a miserable feeling generally are indications that you need Dr. King's New Life Pills. Take a dose tonight, and you will experience grateful relief by morning. 25c. Adv.

At the Baptist Church

The revival at the Baptist church continues with splendid attendance and good interest. Afternoon and night services are held.

Notice

Taxes due again and should be paid before Jan. 1. Drop in and pay them when convenient and save a trip to Hartville. I have the Official Tax List.
Adv. WARD B. HITCHCOCK

Splendid Entertainment

The Hallowe'en program at the opera house Saturday night was one of the most pleasing entertainments of the season and was enjoyed to the utmost from beginning to end by a large audience. The exercises were given by the pupils of the Mansfield High school, under the direction of Miss Cloe Osborn. The applause elicited by every number and the hearty echoes showed to what extent the people appreciated the novel program. Some of the numbers were original with Miss Osborn, and some of the music used was composition of Mrs. J. E. Craig, one of Mansfield's most talented musicians. That our people were able to give a program of such high merit in so excellent a manner is a most creditable showing. Everything was good—the fortune telling, the drills, the black cats, elves, goblins, ghosts, witches, gypsies, the party, the music, instrumental, solo and quartet, and all the rest, and to mention any one number especially would hardly be fair to the others. If you want to thoroughly enjoy yourselves, just attend a program given by the M. H. S.

Money to Loan

N. J. CRAIG HAS SOME MONEY THAT HE DESIRES TO LOAN ON GOOD, IMPROVED FARMS IN EITHER WRIGHT OR DOUGLAS COUNTIES. N. J. CRAIG

Parent-Teacher Association

Rev. Thomas Hendricks delivered an excellent address before the meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association Friday afternoon, complimenting very highly our public school building and furnishings and the splendid work being accomplished; also of the good results of the co-operation of the parents and teachers. Good talks were also made by Miss Becker of Ava and by Prof. J. A. Hylton.

The next meeting will be held Friday night, Nov. 12.
To encourage a larger attendance at the meetings it has been decided that a prize picture will be awarded the room of the school which shows the best at tendance of the parents of the pupils of the scholars in the room.

Remember the meeting Nov. 12 and be there.

Cold Do Not Leave Willingly

Because a cold is stubborn is no reason why you should be. Instead of "wearing it out," get sure relief by taking Dr. King's New Discovery. Dangerous bronchial and lung ailments often follow a cold which has been neglected at the beginning. As your body faithfully battles those cold germs, no better aid can be given than the use of this remedy. Its merit has been tested by old and young. Get a bottle to-day. 50c and \$1.00. Adv.

The South Sea Island Pearl Fishing Expedition, in which several Springfield and Mountain Grove men were interested, the object being to search for treasure supposed to have been buried on Cocos Island, somewhere in the seas, has declared a dividend of \$218.50 on each \$250 share. Captain Brown, who heads the expedition, deserted at San Francisco and formed a new company. The old company is to receive 1-36 of the treasure recovered by the new company, if they recover any.

Dynamite Magazine

Miners, prospectors and farmers, you can buy your supply of dynamite at the magazine in West Mansfield.—Adv.

Wheel Scraper

Iron Wheel Scraper for sale. Inquire at Peanut and Popcorn Roaster.—Adv.

Death in Auto Accident

N. J. Craig and wife, Horace Paul and wife, J. D. Reynolds and wife, O. L. Robinett and C. A. Stephens attended the funeral of Harry Stiff at Mountain Grove Monday. Mr. Stiff was a son of H. E. Stiff and wife of Mountain Grove and was killed in an automobile accident at 7 o'clock Friday morning at St. Louis, where he was in the automobile business. When news of the accident reached his relatives they left Mountain Grove in the Stiff auto for Lebanon in order to catch the Frisco to St. Louis at that place but their auto broke down at Hartville. O. H. Young took them on from there, but they failed to arrive in time to catch the desired train. The funeral was largely attended, showing the esteem in which the deceased was held. The funeral was under Masonic auspices.

Missouri Improvements

I thought I would send in a few notes on Missouri improvements, as I have been at work about 15 years helping in that line as a plasterer of houses, etc., and trying to do the very best of work that would always give satisfaction, working in 8 different states. This past week I have spent plastering the new house of A. L. Foote, 4 miles north of Mansfield, and I must say that I have found the nearest my mate in Mr. Foote that I have found in any mechanic in the carpenter line on any building I have ever plastered, and I never found everything in as perfect shape and as convenient for my work as on his job, and I never saw a carpenter waste so little lumber, for after casing and finishing 9 windows and 7 doors and other finishing work about the 4 rooms plastered, he had just finishing lumber enough left to make a mortar board to hold a pail of mortar, and there was not another piece of finishing board on the place 2 feet long and 6 inches wide, but everything for convenience was there.

And about his running the experiment farm of Wright county, that is no dream. I have lived in Wright Co., Mo., several years, and been acquainted with its conditions about 30 years, and I have never seen a single farm put in as good shape for convenience of fields to water, as every field, except his night cow pasture, is fenced so his stock, when pastured in them, can go direct to pure spring water. There are no nasty ponds on this farm. Furthermore, I have never seen a farm in Southern Missouri as free of stone as Mr. Foote's, and as smooth meadows. Mr. Foote and son, Homer, have been here only 10 days over 1 1/2 years to do this work of fencing, building the house, finishing the barn and hauling the stone off of every field they have plowed and have taken three crops off of their fields in the 1 1/2 years, and probably had in more grain this year than any of their neighbors put in with one team.

Oct. 29, 1915 W. G. TYSON

Now Lookout

When a cold hangs on, as often happens, or when you have hardly gotten over one cold before you contract another, lookout for you are liable to contract some very serious disease. This succession of colds weakens the system and lowers the vitality so that you are much more liable to contract chronic catarrh, pneumonia or consumption. Cure your cold while you can. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has a great reputation. It is relied upon by thousands of people and never disappoints them. Try it. It only costs a quarter. Obtainable everywhere.—Adv.

Harry Ogilvie and wife left Wednesday for their home in Des Moines, Iowa, after a 10 day visit with Samuel Frye and family and other friends. They enjoyed their visit very much in the land of the big red apple and regret having to leave so soon. Mrs. Ogilvie was formerly Ellen Carlson of this vicinity.

Hartville

Miss Ethyl Richardson of Springfield has been visiting relatives and friends here.
Miss Rachel Carter, who is attending the Springfield Normal, visited home folks during the week.
The Hartville High School basketball team will lock horns with the Ava team Friday and Saturday nights at Ava.
Prof. H. M. Dummitt left Tuesday for Kansas City to attend the State Teachers' Association. His wife is teaching in his absence.
The Hartville band has reorganized with 12 or 14 of the old members and several new ones, with Prof. Cal Huntsinger, former director of the Mansfield Concert Band, as instructor, the merchants subscribing liberally to the support of the new band. Prof. Huntsinger comes well recommended. The band had its first rehearsal Monday night at the Democrat office.

The Wright County Sunday Association, on its tour of the county, held a meeting in the Christian church, as scheduled, Tuesday night. The session was well attended. Rev. N. Bundy of Mountain Grove was present. Charles Bottorff of St. Joseph gave the Sunday school workers hints and inspiration of much value in organized Sunday school work, the meeting being highly instructive and interesting.

The petit jurors for the December term of circuit court are Mountain Grove township, Chas. Reberry, James Smith, Clark, J. A. Retherford, C. R. Raney; Pleasant Valley, Press Newton, Amos Roy; Wood, John Long, William Rouse; Hart, Jesse Carter, Dave Thorp; Gasconade, H. J. Rice, H. C. Cunningham; Van Buren, Marve Halsey, John W. Corder; Brush, Frank Solidan, A. A. Stigall; Boone, Ed Coday, F. M. Hake; Montgomery, John Shelby, Bert Wilson; Elk, C. G. Robinson, Sam Claxton; Union, Fred Jones, J. H. Lovell.

The county court met Monday for the entire week. Monday was spent in adjusting road matters, and the court was kept busy all day. Tuesday the court apportioned the foreign insurance fund seeing that each incorporated town in the county received its proportion of this fund, the first time in 16 years this division has been made, from the fact that former county courts placed the foreign insurance money in the general county fund. C. W. Evans representing Mountain Grove, received \$263; Dr. F. H. Riley, representing Mansfield, received \$97, and E. B. Garner, representing Hartville, received \$75. The court is to be commended on its fairness in seeing that all parts of the county get what is really coming to them.

Sunday morning Guy C. Jackson of Hartville died at Nevada, where he had been taken some three weeks ago for treatment. His father, J. W. Jackson, was at once notified by wire and left, in company with Prosecuting Attorney C. H. Jackson, for Nevada. They returned with the remains Monday night, and the interment took place at the Hartville cemetery at 2 p. m. Tuesday, Rev. T. P. Shaffer, of West Plains, conducting the services. On account of the prominence of the Jackson family, the funeral was attended by nearly every one in and near Hartville. At the request of the mayor, all business houses were closed and all work suspended; as a consequence, it was one of the biggest funerals held in Hartville for years. The pallbearers were members of the Wright county bar, as Mr. Jackson was an honored and respected young lawyer. The relatives present from a distance included Mrs. Nola Pemberton of Oklahoma, Mrs. Howard Robinett of Springfield, Misses Fay and Ruth Jackson of the Springfield Normal—all sisters of the deceased, and Owen Jackson, a brother, a rising young lawyer of St. Louis.

Route Number 2

Floyd Brentlinger is visiting home folks.
Will Hale worked for Amos Roy Saturday.
Mrs. J. A. Riley called on Mrs. N. J. Craig Tuesday.
Miss Esther Starne called on Mrs. F. C. Brentlinger Monday.
Charley Frye and Miss Lelah Cole dined at Ezra Roy's Saturday.
Mrs. Mona Parrot is visiting home folks now. Her baby is very sick.
Mrs. John Miller called on Mrs. Wm. Lotzenhizer Tuesday of last week.
Wm. Lotzenhizer helped Paul Williams saw wood for Sam Letsinger Wednesday.
Mrs. Ben Freeman and children visited Wm. Norcross and family a few days last week.
Mr. Rucker and family from North Missouri are moving into the house just vacated by Wm. Lotzenhizer's.
Mrs. W. F. Stone returned from her visit at Joe Frye's Friday morning and left for Springfield Friday night.
Wm. Lotzenhizer and wife are staying with Sam Letsinger's for a few days before leaving for their new home.
Misses Zella Letsinger, Ethel Phelps, Rose Williams and brothers, Herman and Roy went hunting Monday night.
Miss Lelah Cole was a guest of Miss Leota Brentlinger Saturday night, and on Sunday she accompanied the family on a long trip to Douglas county.
Mrs. R. W. Starne called on Mrs. A. M. Brentlinger Friday. The latter has been very ill the past week. Mrs. Sam Letsinger and Mrs. Paul Williams called to see her Thursday.

SUKEY.

Deceased, who was 29 years old, was born in Wright county and reared at Hartville. At an early age he graduated from the Hartville High School and for some time engaged in school teaching, being considered one of the brightest young teachers in the county. Wishing to follow his father's profession he left for St. Louis, where he graduated from Washington University. In 1910 he returned and was admitted to the Wright county bar. He then associated himself with his father in the practice of law and for three or four years was a prominent figure in the court room. It is thought by many that his studious life and close application to the deeper problems of the law caused his breakdown and untimely death. He was of a sanguinary disposition, having a kind word for all, and his many friends feel deeply his demise. The bereaved relatives have the sympathy of hosts of friends.

Old Resident Dead

Mrs. Mary S. Wood, grandmother of Dr. J. A. Fuson and Mrs. Jason Findley of Mansfield, died Oct. 25 at the age of 85 at the home of Mrs. S. F. Dickinson, 5 miles northeast of Hartville; interment in Little Creek cemetery, the funeral being conducted by Rev. Peas Davis, says the Democrat. She was born in Tennessee, coming to this county 60 years ago. Her husband died in 1871, at which time he was probate and presiding judge. She was the mother of 10 children, 8 of whom are living: J. T., J. L., W. R., John, Mesdames J. A. Fuson, J. M. Latimer, Fannie Long and Clemmie Newport. The other 2 children were Mesdames Robert Fuson and John Tate. Mrs. Wood had 112 descendants, 96 of whom are living—8 children, 49 grandchildren, 39 great-grandchildren. She joined the Little Creek Baptist church in 1874.

Farm Loans

At lowest prevailing rates. No delay.
Adv. GEO. B. FREEMAN.